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E.O. 11652: NA

TAGS: EAIR NL US

SUBJECT: US-NETHERLANDS CIVIL AIR NEGOTIATIONS

REF: (A) THE HAGUE 3669, (B) THE HAGUE 4153

1. MFA TRANSPORTATION ADVISER NIEUWENHUIJSEN HAS INFORMED US THAT MRS NEELIE SMIT-KROES, STATE SECRETARY IN MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION AND WATERWAYS, HAS REQUESTED THAT USG BE ASKED TO NEGOTIATE NEW MODEL BILATERAL BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 25 IN THE HAGUE RATHER THAN IN WASHINGTON. WHEN ASKED THE REASON FOR REQUESTED CHANGE, NIEUWENHUIJSEN COULD ONLY SAY THAT DURING HER RECENT CIVIL AIR TALKS IN CURACAO WITH NETHERLANDS ANTILLES THE STATE SECRETARY DEVELOPED A STRONG PREFERENCE FOR NEGOTIATIONS TO TAKE PLACE IN THE HAGUE. WE AGREED TO QUERY THE DEPARTMENT TO SEE WHETHER REQUESTED CHANGE WOULD BE CONVENIENT FOR USG.

2. NIEUWENHUIJSEN AGAIN RAISED SUBJECT OF DUTCH REQUEST FOR WORKING LEVEL MEETING IN WASHINGTON ON DRAFT AGREEMENTS IN LATE AUGUST OR EARLY SEPTEMBER. HE SAI GON WOULD STILL LIKE TO HAVE SUCH MEETING IN WASHINGTON REGARDLESS OF LOCATION OF FORMAL BILATERAL NEGOTIATIONS AND WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHEN IT WOULD BE CONVENIENT FOR WORKING LEVEL MEETING.

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3. ACTION REQUESTED: WE WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING DEPARTMENT'S RESPONSE TO BOTH REQUESTS AS WELL AS AN INDICATION OF WHEN DEPARTMENT'S DRAFT AGREEMENT WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO US AND TO GON.  
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